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Response Due Date
05/21/2013

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00499020

REFERENCE: AMENDED 12 DAY PRE-GENERAL REPORT (10/01/2012 -
10/17/2012), RECEIVED 01/31/2013

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 4 item(s):

1. Schedule A supporting Line 11(a)(i) of your report discloses negative entries for the apparent refund(s) of contributions originally received by your committee. Please be advised that if your committee wrote a refund check from your account, this disbursement should be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 28 of the Detailed Summary Page. Further, negative entries on Schedule A should only be used to disclose voided checks that were not cashed or cleared by a bank. This method of reporting would clarify for the public record the total amount of receipts/disbursements and more accurately disclose the cash-on-hand amount. Please amend your report(s) to properly disclose this activity or provide clarifying information.
2. Schedule E of your report indicates that your committee may have failed to file and timely file one or more of the required 48 hour report(s) for independent expenditures (see attached). A political committee must file a 48 hour report with the Federal Election Commission as specified in 11 CFR §104.4(b), within 48 hours of any independent expenditures aggregating \$10,000 or more with respect to a given election, made any time during the calendar year up to and including the 20th day before an election. The report must be received by the Commission by 11:59 p.m. on the second day following the date on which independent expenditures that aggregate \$10,000 or more are publicly distributed or disseminated. These expenditures must then